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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a division of application Serial No. 09/973,659 (Examiner Charles Rones, Group Art Unit 2175) of Arthur O. Miller and James A. Miller for **Method For Storing and Retrieving Data Objects**, which includes:

- A specification consisting of: A title page; a 94-page disclosure; 9 pages of claims; and a one-page abstract of the disclosure; totaling 105 pages (copy from the '659 application);
- Twenty-seven (27) sheets of formal drawings (copy from the '659 application);
- Declaration of the inventors (copy from the '659 application);
- A Preliminary Amendment, including a clean and marked-up copy of a substitute specification; and
- A self-addressed, stamped postcard showing receipt.
- * Applicants hereby assert Small Entity Status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

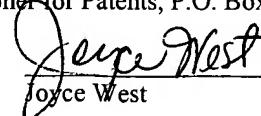
CLAIMS AS FILED	SMALL ENTITY	NOT SMALL ENTITY
Total Claims 10 - 21 = 0	x \$9.00 = \$0.00	or x \$18.00 = 0
Independent Claims 5 - 3 = 2	x \$42.00 = 84.00	or x \$84.00 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented	+ \$140.00 = 0	or + \$280.00 = \$ 0
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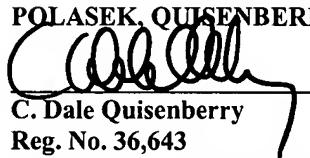
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